

## Message Text

PAGE 01 NATO 02953 181950 Z

63

ACTION EUR-25

INFO OCT-01 ADP-00 CIAE-00 PM-07 INR-10 L-03 NEA-10

NSAE-00 PA-03 RSC-01 PRS-01 USIA-12 TRSE-00 MBFR-03

SAJ-01 OMB-01 RSR-01 /079 W  
----- 120225

R 181655 Z JUN 73

FM USMISSION NATO

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 527

SECDEF WASHDC

INFO USMISSION OECD PARIS

UNCLAS USNATO 2953

E. O. 11652: N/ A

TAGS: AORG, APER, EFIN, OECD, NATO

SUBJECT: CHANGES TO BE MADE TO THE PROVIDENT FUND SYSTEM

REF: A. PO/73/49, 3 MAY 73, POUCHED

B. IS LETTER A(73)210, 15 JUNE 73, TO MBC/ CBC MEMBERS  
FROM DIRECTOR OF ADMIN AND PERSONNEL

1. REF B IS QUOTED BELOW:

QUOTE PO/73/49 PROPOSED BACKDATING TO THE TIME OF RECRUIT-  
MENT THE PROVIDENT FUNDS OF STAFF MEMBERS WHO JOINED NATO  
BEFORE 1 ST JULY 1956 - DATE OF INTRODUCTION OF THE PROVIDENT  
FUND. IT ALSO PROVIDES AN INCREASE IN THE INTEREST CREDITED TO  
STAFF ACCOUNTS FOR THE PERIOD 1 ST JULY 1956 TO 31 ST DECEMBER  
1970.

BEFORE THE COUNCIL CAN CONSIDER THE FOREGOING PROPOSALS  
I AM OBLIGATED TO FURNISH THE BUDGET COMMITTEES COST ESTIMATES  
SO THAT THE COMMITTEES MAY CONSIDER THE FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS  
AND MAKE APPROPRIATE RECOMMENDATIONS TO THE COUNCIL.

WE HAVE HAD DIFFICULTIES IN ESTIMATING THE COSTS, BUT  
I NOW HAVE THE NECESSARY FIGURES AND WILL ISSUE A DOCUMENT FOR  
UNCLASSIFIED

PAGE 02 NATO 02953 181950 Z

THE INFORMATION OF THE COMMITTEES IN THE NEAR FUTURE.

MEANWHILE, THE COUNCIL IS BEING ASKED TO CONSIDER  
ANOTHER PROPOSAL IN PO/73/49 WHICH HAS NO FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS.

THIS PROPOSAL IS CONTAINED IN PARAS 10 AND 11 AND WOULD ALLOW NATO STAFF TO LEAVE THEIR INDIVIDUAL ACCOUNTS IN THE PROVIDENT FUND, UPON LEAVING ACTIVE SERVICE WITH NATO, ON THE SAME TERMS AND CONDITIONS AS THEIR COLLEAGUES IN THE OECD. THE COUNCIL IS BEING ASKED TO CONSIDER THIS MEASURE SEPARATELY IN THE INTEREST OF MEMBERS OF THE STAFF WHO ARE LEAVING AT THE CURRENT TIME. IF THE COUNCIL AGREES, SUCH STAFF MEMBERS WILL BE ABLE TO LEAVE THEIR ACCOUNTS WITH THE PROVIDENT FUND IN ANTICIPATION OF A PENSION.

THE COUNCIL WILL BE ASKED TO CONSIDER THE OTHER PORTIONS OF PO/73/49 AT A LATER DATE AND AFTER THE BUDGET COMMITTEES HAVE HAD THE OPPORTUNITY TO SUBMIT THEIR OWN RECOMMENDATIONS. UNQUOTE.  
/S/ KUNZIG.

2. MISSION EXPECTS SUBJECT ITEM TO BE SUBMITTED TO COUNCIL IN NEAR FUTURE. ACCORDINGLY, REQUEST DEPARTMENT GUIDANCE ON PARAS 10 AND 11 OF REF A BY JUNE 26 TH. MCAULIFFE

UNCLASSIFIED

<< END OF DOCUMENT >>

## Message Attributes

**Automatic Decaptioning:** X  
**Capture Date:** 02 APR 1999  
**Channel Indicators:** n/a  
**Current Classification:** UNCLASSIFIED  
**Concepts:** n/a  
**Control Number:** n/a  
**Copy:** SINGLE  
**Draft Date:** 18 JUN 1973  
**Decaption Date:** 01 JAN 1960  
**Decaption Note:**  
**Disposition Action:** n/a  
**Disposition Approved on Date:**  
**Disposition Authority:** n/a  
**Disposition Case Number:** n/a  
**Disposition Comment:**  
**Disposition Date:** 01 JAN 1960  
**Disposition Event:**  
**Disposition History:** n/a  
**Disposition Reason:**  
**Disposition Remarks:**  
**Document Number:** 1973NATO02953  
**Document Source:** ADS  
**Document Unique ID:** 00  
**Drafter:** n/a  
**Enclosure:** n/a  
**Executive Order:** N/A  
**Errors:** n/a  
**Film Number:** n/a  
**From:** NATO  
**Handling Restrictions:** n/a  
**Image Path:**  
**ISecure:** 1  
**Legacy Key:** link1973/newtext/t19730634/abqcealv.tel  
**Line Count:** 75  
**Locator:** TEXT ON-LINE  
**Office:** n/a  
**Original Classification:** UNCLASSIFIED  
**Original Handling Restrictions:** n/a  
**Original Previous Classification:** n/a  
**Original Previous Handling Restrictions:** n/a  
**Page Count:** 2  
**Previous Channel Indicators:**  
**Previous Classification:** n/a  
**Previous Handling Restrictions:** n/a  
**Reference:** A. PO/73/49, 3 MAY 73, POUCHED B. IS LETTER A(73)210, 15 JUNE 73, TO MBC/ CBC MEMBERS FROM DIRECTOR OF ADMIN  
AND PERSONNEL  
**Review Action:** RELEASED, APPROVED  
**Review Authority:** kellerpr  
**Review Comment:** n/a  
**Review Content Flags:**  
**Review Date:** 02 OCT 2001  
**Review Event:**  
**Review Exemptions:** n/a  
**Review History:** RELEASED <02-Oct-2001 by phillir0>; APPROVED <27-Dec-2001 by kellerpr>  
**Review Markings:**

Declassified/Released  
US Department of State  
EO Systematic Review  
30 JUN 2005

**Review Media Identifier:**  
**Review Referrals:** n/a  
**Review Release Date:** n/a  
**Review Release Event:** n/a  
**Review Transfer Date:**  
**Review Withdrawn Fields:** n/a  
**Secure:** OPEN  
**Status:** NATIVE  
**Subject:** CHANGES TO BE MADE TO THE PROVIDENT FUND SYSTEM  
**TAGS:** AORG, APER, EFIN, OECD, NATO  
**To:** STATE  
SECDEF INFO OECD PARIS  
**Type:** TE  
**Markings:** Declassified/Released US Department of State EO Systematic Review 30 JUN 2005